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1. Statement

Novelty (N)	Claims Claims	1-30	YES NO
Inventive step (IS)	Claims Claims	1-30	YES NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims Claims	1-30	YES NO

2. Citations and explanations (Rule 70.7)

The claimed invention

The claimed invention relates to a communication device and a method for downloading and upgrading terminal software of the over-the-air in an efficient and fail-safe manner.

Documents cited in the International Search Report:

D1: US 6622017 B1

D2: US 6052600 A

D3: US 20030216927 A1

The cited documents represent the general state of the art.

The invention defined in claims 1-30 is not disclosed by any of these documents.

The cited prior art does not give any indication that would lead a person skilled in the art to the claimed communication device and method for downloading and upgrading terminal software of the over-the-air in an efficient and fail-safe manner. Therefore, the claimed invention is not obvious to a person skilled in the art.

Accordingly, the invention defined in claims 1-30 is novel and is considered to involve an inventive step. The invention is industrially applicable.